

Montana Office of Public Instruction

The Montana Tobacco Free School Excellence Initiative (MTFSEI) has been working since October of 2009 with many key stakeholders including the Montana School Boards Association (MTSBA) and the National School Boards Association (NSBA) to update various school policies regarding tobacco and nicotine use. The revised policies are listed on the next page (MTSBA *Policy Notes* – January 2010). Many Montana school districts have already been distinguished as a "Montana Tobacco Free School District of Excellence" by adopting Comprehensive Tobacco Free School Policies. To view the map, go to www.opi.mt.gov/tobaccoed

Enrollment in	Number of Elementary, Middle,	Number of Schools with less
Montana Schools	7 & 8, Junior and High Schools	than 50 Students
141,693	827	340

Source: OPI Facts About Montana Education September 2011

Tobacco Use Prevention & Education Program

School Districts with Comprehensive Tobacco Free School Policy

Number of Public	Number of School Districts with	Percentage of Districts with
School Districts in Montana	Comprehensive Policy	Comprehensive Policy
421	94	22.3%

Montana Tobacco Free School Districts of Excellence as of November 2011

Hardin Public Schools

Amsterdam Elementary Anaconda Public Schools **Anderson Elementary** Arlee Public Schools **Arrowhead Elementary** Beaverhead County High School **Belt Public Schools Bozeman Public Schools** Bridger K-12 Schools **Butte Public Schools** Centerville Public Schools Charlo Public Schools Colstrip Public Schools Columbia Falls Public Schools **Cut Bank Public Schools Darby Public Schools** Deer Park Elementary Ennis K-12 Schools **Evergreen Elementary** Fair-Mont-Egan Elementary Frenchtown K-12 Schools **Gallatin Gateway Elementary Gardiner Public Schools Geraldine Public Schools** Glendive Public Schools

Harlem Public Schools Helena Flats Elementary Helena Public Schools Joliet Public Schools **Kalispell Public Schools** Kila Elementary Lavina K-12 Schools **Libby Public Schools** Lincoln K-12 Schools **Livingston Public Schools** Manhattan Public Schools Missoula County Public Schools **Monforton Elementary** North Star Public Schools Noxon Public Schools Olney-Bissell Elementary Ophir K-12 Schools Paradise Elementary Park City Public Schools **Plains Public Schools** Plevna K-12 Schools Ramsay Elementary **Richev Public Schools Ronan Public Schools**

Shelby Public Schools
Sunburst K-12 Schools
Terry K-12 Schools
Thompson Falls Public Schools
Townsend Public Schools
Trout Creek Elementary
Turner Public Schools
West Glacier Elementary
West Valley Elementary
Whitefish Public Schools
Wibaux K-12 Schools
Willow Creek Public Schools